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McCreary Elected.

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 14.—James B. McCreary was to-day elected United States Senator from Kentucky to succeed W. J. Deboe, whom he will succeed in less than two months. The two houses of the General Assembly in separate session stopped all other business on the stroke of 12 to-day and took a ballot for Senator.

In the Senate the vote stood 23 for McCreary, 11 for Deboe and 1 for ex-Gov. Bradley. The vote for Bradley was cast by Senator W. H. Cox, of Mason county. In the House the vote stood 74 for McCreary and 24 for Deboe.

Having received a majority of all the votes cast in each house, Mr. McCreary is the duly elected Senator, as the Constitution provides that where a candidate receives a majority of the votes in each separately, it is not necessary to take a joint ballot. But as a precaution the formality of another vote in separate houses will be observed again next Tuesday, on account of the fact that the Constitution is not clear as to which Tuesday is the one intended for the election. Mr. McCreary is in the city, but he did not appear at the Statehouse to day. After next Tuesday Gov. Beckham will issue his certificate of election.

The $100,000 Committee.

When the Legislature appropriated a hundred thousand dollars to be used if necessary to apprehend and bring to justice the murderers of Wm. Goebel many papers cried shame, and assumed that the money would at once be squandered. After seeing the names of the committee, and especially that of Col. W. M. Moore, with whom we are well acquainted, we had no fears of such a result. Later we learned that the other members of the committee were made out of the same kind of material as Col. Moore and we were sure there would be no waste of money.

Recently the committee met and certain detectives came forward and demanded the reward for the conviction of Youtsey. "Oh, no," said the committee, "we paid your expenses and $8 a day for your work, and you cannot claim the reward and collect wages for the time you were earning the reward. If you really discovered the guilty parties, it was while you were working for the State, and the State bought your time and paid for it, and the results of your labor belong to the State." Of course the boys felt sore, but the people will be glad to know that the committee is acting on the square. Neith- of the committeemen is paid for his services.—Farmers Friend.

The report that Henry Youtsey, serving a life sentence at Frankfort, for complicity in the murder of Senator Goebel, would go on the stand in tne trial of Jim Howard, and state that Burton, late Sheriff at Hardinsburg, and one Dr. Johnson were in the office of the Secretary of State, and those two only, when Senator Goebel was shot, has all the marks of unauthenticity. For Youtsey to say that the only men present, were two men who have since died would be to bring his word into prompt discredit, and his testimony would be worth nothing. Besides the people of Breckinridge county stand ready to prove that when Mr. Goebel was shot, Burton, the Sheriff, was lying fatally ill at his home in Hardinsburg and was not in Frankfort and that it can so be proven. That Youtsey story is exceedingly thin.—Warren Courier.

Jim Mayes, a negro who had atrempted to assault a white girl, was taken from jail at Springfield by a mob and hanged early Saturday. So orderly and thoroughly organized were the mob that the occupants of the nearest house knew nothing of what was going on. The crime which the mob avenged was an attempted assault Loula. the pretty daughter of Joseph Jeans, one of the most prominent men in the county.

A dispatch from Clinton, Ill., says Warren C. Bromer and Clay Conder, of Boyle and Casey counties, Ky., respectively, were acquitted in the Circuit Court there of a charge of murder after a trial lasting four days. The defendants, who are under 20 years of age, were charged with shooting and killing William Edward Taylor, at Dewitt, that county, July 20, 1901.

Mary Bryan Cobb, a well-known Daughter of the Revolution, born at Frankfort, Ky, celebrated her 99th birthday Sunday at Richmond, Ind.

Worth Considering.

That portion of Governor Beckham's message which he refers to the good feeling teat now exists between people of different political parties is worthy of especial thought. That a full understanding may be had of his effort to bring together the citizens of Kentucky for commercial advancement and to do away with the bitterness that the heated and unfortunate political contests of the past few years have been productive. We produce that portion of the message.

"The dark cloud of internal dissensions that hung over us two years ago in the unhappy differences then existing has disappeared and given way to the sunshine of a better and more rational feeling. The unfortunate bitterness of that period caused by extraordinary political conditions is fast disappearing, and our people fully realize the superior advantages of diverting their time and attention to the industrial progress of the State rather than to the activities of heated political controversies and contests. Notwithstanding the many misrepresentations and slanders uttered by outsiders concerning the conditions in the State and the frequent publications of false and injurious articles in sensational journals whose regard for truth is subordinate to their desire for romance, it is nevertheless a fact that the supremacy of law in Kentucky today is such as to give every citizen as perfect a guaranty or protection of life, liberty or property as can be found in any State of the Union We have suffered much by these false and exagerated reports, but it is now happily within our power to give absolute assurance to all that a condition of peace and respect for the law exist from one end of the State to the other. In the mountains of Kentucky, whose people have been the objects of much unmerited abuse and have been charged with lawlessness and crime, you will find a most favorable condition of affairs. The public officials there are doing their utmost to enforce the law and the people beginning to realize the vast riches locked in their mountains, are offering every opportunity and inducement for the investment of capitol and the opening up of this unexplored field of natural wealth. There is no reason why it should not be done, ynd we may confidently look forward to a wonderful advancement in that part of the State in the next few years. I am sure that it is your desire to encourage this spirit everywhere, as far as it is possible to do so by legislation, and while in framing laws to carefully guard the interests of the people as a whole, at the same time to show a spirit of liberality and fairness that will aid in the development of the resonrces of the State. With the limitation placed by the Constitution upon the length of your session it is fortunate that the circumstances are such as to enable you to give your entire time to the consideration of matters that affect the substantial and business interests of the Commonwealth."

The spirit portrayed in the well chosen language is well calculated to inspire in the legislators a thorough understanding that the time has come for them to leave off heated and unwise political discussion and proceed in the work of advancing the interests of the State upon a higher plane of action.

It is to the credit of the Governor and to the advantage of all Kentuckians that such a feeling is thus expressed by the executive. it is a note of warning to the untutored youngsters and a tocsin of great joy to the business people who bear much of the burden of taxation. Politics is a good thing about election time, and it is a man's duty as it is his privilege to talk it and become infrrmed and inform his associates, but there are times for all things and the short session of the legislature should, as it doubtless will be devoted to furthering the interests of the State and placing her abreast of others in the race for the goal of commercial prestige.—Danville News.

In Europe it seems that they are quarreling about whether it was England or Russia that saved the United States from Europeon intervention during the Spanish war. The Louisville Times says that whatever decision is reached will not affect the American conviction that Uncle Sam's sign, "Keep off the Grass" had a little more to do than anything else toward accomplishing that end.

Important Evidence.

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 13.—Both sides pressed W. H. Culton. who was put on the witness stand by the Commonwealth this afternoon in the trial of Jim Howard, and the witness told more of the conspiracy to murder Goebel than upon any of the previous trials. In chief Mr. T. C. Campbell, for the State only asked Culton about his conversations with Howard, but the counsel for the defense wanted to know more. They adopted a plan different from that pursued by the counsel for the other men who have been tried for the assassination, Their object today was to impress the jury with Culton's guilt.

Those who heard the witness say he involved himself deeply in the crime, more so than at any previous trial, but at the same time, he entangled more deeply nearly every man named in the indictment. Persons who have heard the testimony in the other trials say the details of the conspiracy were brought out more clearly by Culton this afternoon than ever before.

The object of the attorneys for the defense was apparent to the lawyers for the Commonwealth and Mr. Campbell, in his redirect examination of Culton, forced him to tell still more For the first time Culton admitted that he took men to the House of Representatives to kill the Democratic members. It was plain that he was trying to avoid answering questions, not wanting to implicate himself, but the answers were drawn from him. He said he had given them orders from Taylor, and that in a consultation with Taylor it was decided that Senator Geo. W. Hickman, chairman of the Contest Committee, Speaker South Trimble and Representative Campbell Cantrill were to be killed.

He said other men were appointed "to attend to the Senate."

He said the killing would have been done on January 29, but Charles Finley came up and said: "Boys, don't do that to-day. Basil Duke says there is another way to settle this contest." He narrated his conversation with Jim Howard on the afternoon of the day that Goebel was shot. Howard said, "They say Jack Chinn is a brave man; but you ought to have seen that d—d man run when the shot rang out."

Culton denied that he told Grant Roberts to try to Induce Youtsey to leave Frankfort, as he did not want him to implicate a friend of his from Jackson county in the murder of Goebel. He did say, however, that he told Roberts that W. S. Taylor wanted both Roberts and Youtsey to go; that if they remained in Frankfort until the grand jury met "we would get into trouble."

"Taylor said he would pay Youtsey's expenses, and I told Roberts that Taylor wanted him to go either to Ohio or Washington," said Culton.

In support of his statement Culton said Roberts left Frankfort.

Sure Failure.

Frederick Harrison, the noted English writer asserts that England is being slowly bled to death, while the government systematically suppresses tee truth and diffuses deceptive reports concerning the war against the Boers. He says:

Four successive attempts have been made in four successive centuries to accomplish what we are trying to accomplish in South Africa. All have failed. Phillip II, of Spain, in the sixteenth century, possessing unequaled naval and military forces and backed by the undivided patriotism of the Spanish people, tried to subjugate Holland for eighty years, only to bring disaster on his own country and to stimulate Holland to great feats of national progress

In the seventeenth century, Louis XIV, of France, took up the task that ruined Spain. He wrecked the French monarchy and almost wrecked France, but Holland continued to flourish. George III, of England, in the eighteenth century tried the policy of insolence and nonconcession upon our American colonists, driving them out of the Empire and bringing vast loss and humiliation upon ourselves.

Napoleon III, of France, in the nineteenth century sacrificed 100,000 French men in an attempt to fasten French supremacy on distracted Mexico, but that country, despite its distraction, rallied to the standard of nationalism and set at naught the far mightier strength of the invader.

Thus history teaches us unmistakably that no white people, however great and powerful, cannot politically annihilate another. On the contrary. small, hardy nationalities thrive under tyranny and attack, while their assailants either voit the struggle or sink into exhaustion and confusion.

Robbers entered the residence of Daniel Harper, near Owingsville Saturday night and got away with $190 and some silverware. Mr. Harper had the money in his trousers under his pillow, and the money was secured by cutting open the pocket.

A dispatch from Savannah, Ga., last Sunday, says: "Rear Admiral Schley passed a quiet day at the home of Gen. W. W. Gordon, whom he is visiting. He attended religious services this morning at Christ church, Episcopal, and this evening at the Independent Presbyterian church. There was no demonstration in either building, though both streets were lined with people before and after the services. Men raised their hats to the distinguished visitor and women bowed to him, but there was no cheering or hand clapping. It had been on the programme for the Rear Admiral and Mrs. Schley to take a carriage drive this afternoon, but the coldness kept them indoors.

The announcement of the death of J. A. (Jep) Huffaker, at his home in Louisville, last Friday, shocked thousands of his friends all over this part of the State, We knew of his physical frailties and that he must leave the scenes of his struggles and triumphs shortly, but no one who knew him felt willing to give him up to die. A choice and lovely friend and companion is gone before.—Somerset Journal.

Definition of Kiss.

Kissing is a noun, it is a name; proper noun because its the proper thing to do when they are ready and the heart is willing; plural number because it takes two to perform it; common gender, because it is performed by one of each sex; possessive case, because it possesses a delicate infatuation for the human race and agrees with the parties performing the act. Kissing is closely connected with "buss," which is a good old back woods expression, meaning a kiss that is highly enjoyed by two greenhorns who have powerful lungs to perform the act with. In this case buss means one kiss, rebus means kiss again, pluribus means a number of kisses, horribus means to be caught kissing by the old folks, merribus means to steal a kiss, syblibus means to kiss the hands instead of the lips, blunderbus means to kiss an old maid by mistake, and omnibus means kiss all present, including your mother-in-law.—Anonymous.

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Tollgate raiders destroyed the pole at the tollgate on the Waterford and Floyd's Fork pike in spencer. No one was at the tollhouse at the time.

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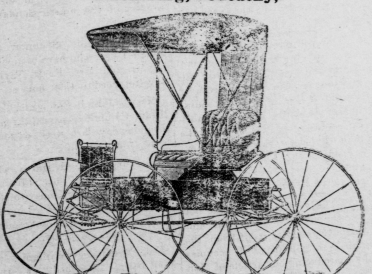

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WEDNESDAY. JAN 22

Gen. D. R. Murray has announced his candidacy for Circuit Judge in the Breckinridge district.

The Kentucky Legislature is moving along cautiously, and if no gross mistakes are made during the session there is no telling what the next Democratic majority in the State will be.

J. M. McKnight is now under sentence to serve six years in the "Pen," for crooked work in the German National Bank which failed five or six years ago. Its a light sentence for a great offense.

"Uncle Tom's Cabin" is getting hard kicks from the Lexington people. It deserves all it is getting for it is an exagerated narrative of a condition that passed away nearly forty years ago.

Mr. L. H. Cabbell, of Camp Knox, returned from Frankfort last week. He reports that every thing is moving along harmoniously at the Capital, and that every thing points to an interesting session. Mr. Cabbell entered the race for Commissioner of the Penitentiary at a late day, and while he was defeated, he made a very favorable impression.

Admiral Sampson is not as strong a man as the Sampson who slew his enimies many, many years ago. The Admiral lost his power when he claimed a victory not his own. Readers of the Bible are familiar with the loss of power in the other case.

The trial of Jim Howard, now on trial for the murder of the late Gov. Goebel, will be concluded this week. The general opinion is, that he will be convicted. In fact the testimony for the State is stronger than at the first trial at which he was given the death penalty.

Schley is receiving the endorsements of Legislatures in several States and we trust this work will continue. The House vote in Frankfort last week commending Schley stood 70 to 0, the Republicans refusing to vote. He is the man who deserves credit and everybody knows it as well as Cevera and no one would doubt Cevera,s conviction as to who whipped him

The Burksville Herald can not face the music and squirms and twists to extricate itself from the embarassing position it occupies by reproducing our article of Jan 1st as its editorial. Its claim that it was taken from the Commercial is put so thin that a blind man could see that such was not the case for the article would have been as foreign to Louisville as any place under the sun. The Commercial would not admit Louisville to be a small town away from railroads, it would not state that Jefferson county was a back county, it would not claim that that city was free from the thief, the beggar and the tramp. We offered Mr. Scott $5.00 for the Commercial of that date containing that article. He declines to accept it and in return offers us $5.00 for a copy of the Herald of any date containing our article "word for word". We admit that we can not do this for a few words and two or three sentences were slightly changed but full three-fourths of the article appeared word for word as it appeared in the News. There was nothing original in the Herald article except the last line which was! "Remember us to your friends." Give credit to whom credit is due is the correct way. That article never appeared in the Commercial nor no other paper previous to the News.

Gov. Bradley was in Washington last week, urging the appointment of D. R. Collier for surveyor of the Port, Louisville. Many think that Mr. Bradley will carry his point and that Barnett will be knocked out.

Judge Gordon, attorney for Howard, in his opening statement for the defense, said: "I am not here to extenuate or to excuse this crime against the Commonwealth. Wm. Goebel was a distinguished man and was cut down at the threshold of a career in public life which promised to be great. I followed him politically, and I have said at all times that no one could have feeling against him to justify such a deed." He admitted that the shot was fired from Secretary of State's office. He also admitted that the death of Mr. Goebel was the result of a conspiracy, but asserted that Howard was not a party to it. Every trial shows conclusively that a murderous conspiracy was formed and that two of its main promoters are now in Indiana. Doubtless the day will come when they will have to answer for this most dastardly murder, just the same as the tramp who assassinates for money.

The Legislature is moving right along in peace and harmony, doing the work that will meet the approbation of the people of this State. For many years past there have been discords, dissentions and strife between Democratic Legislators, resulting disastriously to the Democracy and the State's best interest, but the present assembly seems to be made of wiser heads and we firmly believe will brush aside all differences of the past and move out on the lines of business. It has plenty of work to do and is able to do it. The redistricting the State will of course come up and we trust will be settled to the best interest of the State. This Legislature will probably provide a way to collect means for the building of a new Capital which is badly needed, although the small number of Republican members are threatening to defeat it, unless concessions are made to them in redistricting. The good politicians will of course understand their methods and stear the other way.

LIBERTY.

Mr. G. R. Wilkinson was forty years old on the 14th and gave a dinner to a few friends and relatives.

The first service in the new Baptist church will be held on the evening of the fourth Sunday in this month.

Misses Minnie Shannon and Mattie Estes, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Taylor, have returned to their homes

Messrs. John B. Coffey and Tone Hunn, Columbia, passed through town one day last week, en route home from Lincoln.

Miss Maggie M. G. Hardy, who formerly resided near Liberty, was married at McKinney to Mr. Walter Webb, of Jumbo, Lincoln county. Eld. J. Q. Montgomery performed the ceremony.

Eld. Lawrence Williams, of Montpelier, preached at the Christian church on Monday night. He went from here to Somerset.

Mr. William Morris, whose house was burned election night, is having considerable trouble getting his insurance. He was insured in the Farmer's Home Company. When the time came for settlement the company wanted Mr. Morris to knock off $50 which he has so far refused to do.

Judge W. G. Rains purchased the property occupied by George Gillock and removed to it. Mr. Gillock bought a house from Mrs. Cochran, and Mr. John Helm sold to Mrs. Cochran.

Richard Wheeler, of Chelf's Ridge, was fined five dollars for trespassing upon the lands of Mrs. Elizabeth King.

Wm. Workman, of color, was fined $25 and five days in jail for beating his wife. The cases named were the first tried before the new officers.

The nomination and election of Hon. James B. McCreary as the next Democratic Senator from Kentucky was eminently satisfactory to the Democrats of Casey county. The graceful manner in which his opponents withdrew in the caucus cannot fail to meet the approval of the Democracy of the State. Long and faithful service in behalf of his party, together with a more extensive experience in the affairs of the State than any of his competitors, made the Madison county statesman the logical candidate. With Mr. McCreary and Mr. Blackburn the Commonwealth of Kentucky will be well represented in the Senate of the United States.

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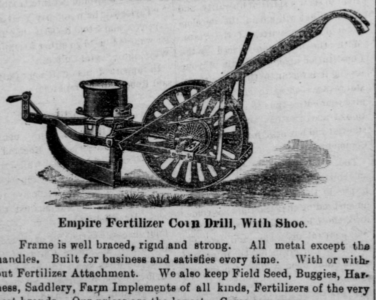

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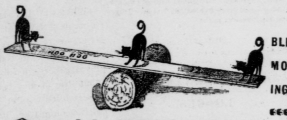

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SPRING IS COMING.

In a very short time we will begin to receive our Spring Stock, (and we want to say right here that it will be the best you ever saw in Columbia.) At closing out sales of Manufacturers and Jobbers we bought largely of several lines of goods, and while in November and December we did a larger business than ever before yet a great many of these goods are unsold and must be sold within the next thirty days to make room for our Spring Stock. In order to clean out this stock, we have determined to sell them to Cash Buyers at Whole-Sale prices.

These Lines Consist of

Overcoats, Winter Suits, Bed Comforts and Blankets, Men's Ladies' and Childrens' Underwear, Hoods Facinators, Ready made Skirts and Undershirts, Winter Dress Goods, Men's and Boys' shirts, Suspenders, Gloves, Hosiery, Handerchiefs, Neckwear, Ladies' and Childrens' Cloaks, Wraps, Fur Capes, Scarfs and lots of other goods. This is no idle chat. We mean just what we say. The goods are here and must be closed out.

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Russell & Murrell, Columbia, Ky.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. B. C. Self, of Creelsboro, was in town Monday.

Mr. Basil Chapman, Glensfork, was in town Monday.

Mrs. L. C. Hurt has been quite sick for the past week.

Mr. W. C. Turk, Bliss, was here the first day of court.

Mr. J. W. Thompson, Milltown, attended court Monday.

Mr. M. R. Powell, Russell Springs, was in town Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Walker visited Lebanon last Friday.

Miss Lena Williams, Montpelier, has entered College at Richmond.

Eld. Lawrence Williams, Montpelier was in Columbia last Saturday.

Mr. W. L. Brockman, Glensfork, was here the first of the week.

Messrs. H. C. Walker and W. L Grady were here the first of court.

Mr. T. J. Johnston and Mr. S. G. Banks, Cane Valley, were here Monday.

Deputy Collector Geo. Nell, spent last Sunday with his family at this place.

Mr. J. H. Pelley and Mr. E. L. Feese, Pellyton, were here the first of the week.

Judge Jas. Garnett was in Campbellsville on professional business last week.

Dr. C. A. Cox and his son, Mr. Chas. Cox, of Stanford, were in Columbia last Sunday.

Mr. Bartlett, traveling salesman for a medicine company, spent last Sunday in Columbia.

Mr. J. D. Sharp, of Amandaville, was in town Monday and dropped "a dollar in the slot."

Mr. J. P. Sallee and his little son Eugene Damon, Green county, was in Columbia Monday.

Dr. W. T. Grissom and Mr. Lee Grissom, Bliss, were mixing with their friends here Monday.

Mr. T. P. Jeffries, an old and respected citizen of the Zion neighborhood, is in a low state of health.

Mr. C. M. Herriford and wife, Burksville, visited the latter's mother, in this county, the first of the week.

Mr. V. D. Mann, of Metcalfe county on his return from Frankfort, spent a few days with relatives in this section.

Mr. F. M. Frazer, of this place, has accepted a situation with a grocery firm, Middlesboro, and left for that point last week.

Mr. Rice Wilt, representing Gillspie. Shields & Co., Clothers, Knoxville, Tenn., interested some of our merchants last Saturday.

Mr. W. H. Waggener of Cloyd's Landing, was in town Monday. He is visiting his father, Mr. W. M. Waggener, who is a little sick.

Mr. G. A. Dohoney was at the burying of his brother here last Friday but returned to Frankfort the next day to attend his duty as a Legislator.

Capt. W. E. Cabell was in Frankfort and Louisville last week. It is our understanding that Mr. Cabell will return to Middlesboro at an early date.

Mr. A. B. Gowdy and wife, Mr. W. A. Chandler and daughter and Miss Kate Dougless, accompanied the remains of Mrs. Triplett from Campbellsville to this place.

Mr. J. N. Coffey left last Saturday for Blair, Okla. Mr. Coffey will be in that section several weeks taking care of the interest of Hughes & Coffey whose investments are rather extensive.

We understand that Mr. J. McScott, formerly of Paris, Texas, has purchased of Mrs. Holladay the farm upon which Mr. Ed Garnett recently occupied, and has become a citizen of Adair county.

Capt. J. S. Chapman, of Glenville, who was crippled some weeks ago, was able to be in Columbia one day last week. We trust he will soon be entirely well. To-day is the fiftieth aniversary of his marriage which he would have celebrated but for the unfortunate accident that resulted in keeping him in his room.

LOCAL JOTTINGS.

Courier-Journal and News, $1.50 a year.

For Sale.—150 acres timbered land. Apply to Ike Harmon, Eunice, Ky.

T. W. Wheat sold a cow a few days ago to a Mr. Dunn for $30.00.

Mr. W. L. Walker paid $65.00 for a fine Jersey cow in Lebanon last Friday.

J. B Barbee bought a male Poland China hog of Sol. McFarland Monday for $15.50.

Columbia Chapter, No 7, will meet next Friday night. Work in Mark Master's degree.

Mr. S. H. Mitchell sold his "Peter Cooper" farm of ten acres to John Tyler Smith for $150 cash.

N. M. Hancock, of Cane Valley, has for sale two good jacks, three mares two two-year-old mules, one young milch cow.

Mr. S. H. Mitchell bought two good yearling mules last week. One from John T. Smith, $40 the other from J. O. Russell for $50.

If you have to order seed no better house can be patronized than the Louisville Seed Company. They have an "ad" in our paper this week.

If there is any one who has an account against me please present same as I will leave this town in a few days

T. F. Walton.

Rev. Will J. Harney, a noted evangelist, will assist Rev. W. P. Gordon in a revival at Columbia, beginning February 30. Every body invited to attend.

The trustees of School district, No 40 known as Disappointment, are ready to let contract for the building of a School-house. Carpenters take notice.

The bright teachers in Prof. Erskine's Normal Training Class at the College show that they appreciate modern methods of instruction in Pedagogics.

Wanted.—Turkeys, chickens, geese ducks and eggs. Will pay the highest market price in cash. Yard open every day at Cane Valley.

R. B. Wilson.

Mr. W. R. Myers, the present owner of the Columbia Mill Company, will buy all kinds of lumber, including gum and sycamore, wheat and corn. Will pay the highest cash price. tf.

D. Traino & Co., Commission merchants, advertise in the News to-day. It is a very reliable firm and solicits produce from Adair and adjoining counties. Read their card.

The weather has been delightful for several days. Farmers are burning plant-beds and breaking corn guound, and all nature indicates an early opening of Spring though we are yet in mid winter. Written too previous.

Fayette Smith was arrainged in the Green court last week, charged with betraying a Miss Gaines. While the trial was in progress Smith agreed to marry the girl and the ceremony was performed in the presence of the officers of the court.

A young man by the name of Sawyers whose home was near Seventy-Six, in Clinton county, killed himself last week with a double barrel shot gun. He was in love with a young lady and wished to marry her and being refused he ended life as above mentioned.

If you owe us come at once and settle. We have sold out and the business must be closed. All accounts will be given an officer unless prompt settlement is made. This is fair warning to all.

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For Sale.—I will sell, on easy terms my farm containing 100 acres bottom, 220 acres timber land near the forks of Casey Creek, Adair county, Ky. Good dwelling and out-buildings. A desirable home. Address

W. B. Hendrickson,
Waukomis, Okla.

Mrs. Mary Triplett Dead.

Last Saturday afternoon about the hour of 1 o'clock Death visited the home of Dr. Jas. Triplett, Campbellsville, and removed his beloved wife, who had been a constant sufferer for more than five years.

The deceased was born and reared in Central Kentucky, and was married to her husband about eighteen years ago. soon after leaving college at this place.

The first years of her married life were spent in Columbia, removing to Campbellsville about fifteen years ago. She was a lady highly respected and had been a consistent member of the Christian Church since girlhood,

The funeral services were conducted at Campbellsville Sunday forenoon in the presence of a large circle of friends, afterwhich the remains were conveyed to Columbia and interred in the city cemetery.

The deceased leaves a husband and one daughter, the latter about eight years old, a father and several brothers and sisters, all of whom have the sympathy of this community.

A Good Citizen Dead.

Bro. Cager Creel Yates, of Gradyville, is no more. He was born Nov. 5, 1826; died at his late home in Gradyville Jan 18, 1902. He was 75 years 2 months and 14 days old. He died as he lived, with clean hands and a pure heart, loved by every one who knew him. He was a member of the Biptist Church for 50 years, firm in his convictions, faithful to his Lord, faithful to his Church and a true husband, a good brother, the best citizen of his day.

His lips never spoke an oath., no liguor ever went down his throat. His home was open tostrangers as well as to friends, In all his trials he recognized the hand of his Maker for his good,

The funeral was held at the Baptist Church by his pastor, assisted by Revs W. H. C. Sandidge and T. L. Hulse, afterwhich he was laid to rest in the old family burying ground to await the resurention morn To the bereaved family and numerous friends this community extends its profoundest sympathy.

Death of J. Pierce Dohoney.

Last Wednesday evening the spirit of Mr. James Pierce Dohoney took its flight and went to the God who gave it. For nearly a year Mr. Dohoney had been in failing health, as he thought, from bronchial trouble and for the last few months could only speak in a whisper, yet he was cheerful and believed that his trouble would pass off and that he would regain good health, but his hopes, for a longer lease of life, were not realized, for lung trouble soon works its course It was consumption that carried him to his grave. Mr. Dohoney had been a very active citizen, on the farm and in buying and selling stock. He was a man honest and urpight in all his dealings and therefore had many warm personal friends who have been solicitous of his condition since his health gave way. We can truly say that he enjoyed a broad acquaintance and was indeed and in truth a big-hearted man. Had he lived nntil April 10th we would have been 50 years old. He was a member of the Baptist Church though not an active one, yet on his death-bed he stated that he was ready to go. He leaves a wife and eight children who have the heart-felt sympathy of the people in this section in their sad and trying hours of sorrow. Only one brother, Mr. G. A. Dohoney, of Washington county, and one sister, Mrs. Phelps of Harrodsburg, survive. On Friday short services were held at the home by Rev. Parks Vanhoy and the body was interred in the cemetery in this town. Mrs. Dohoney, the wife of the deceased, is in a feeble state of health and was not able to be at the burying. It is hoped that she will soon recover and that she may be spared many years to guard and direct her children.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Jeffries are now occupying their residence on College avenue.

For Rent.—Our store-house in Columbia, Ky., is for rent. Address,

Willis Bros
Cave City, Ky.

Corn has not advanced materially in this section since gathering time.

Mr. E. W. Hopewell has removed to the residence owned by Hon. George Nell.

Wheat has advanced, flour is higher and the biscuit is bound to rise, soda or no soda.

The Deering Machine Company are out with some of the prettiest calendars we have seen for this year.

The Columbia College now has enrolled about ninety pupils, and every department is moving along nicely.

Mr. T. G. Dillion seems to be a perfect fit in the Livery business. A hand-shake and a smile for all comers.

Mr. Ed Butler. Jr, and A. W. Robinson, of Green county, have rented the farm of Capt. Ed Butler Sr., in this county and have moved to the same.

The New England Mutual Life Insurance Company has several neat calenders in this office to be given to parties heretofore notified. Please call.

There is a better demand and stronger prices prevailing for cattle than existed last fall. The supply of feed in this county is greater than many contemplated.

W. H. Flowers and Robt. Mitchell, bought of W. H. Gill and Frank Waggener. twenty-five head of one and two year old steers at an average of $22.25 per head.

We understand that quite a number of tobacco plant beds were burned last week. It was an excellent time for the work and we trust that a large crop will be grown as it brings the cash.

Quite a number have tested their lungs on the tester at Hall's tin shop and Dr C. M. Russell holds the record with Mr. Tim Bradshaw. Jas. Hughes and Robert Young close seconds. It cost you nothing—only a blow.

Mr. John W. Flowers was in town Saturday and reported thirty odd students enrolled in his school. Mr. Flowers enjoys the confidence and esteem of the people interested in education and he deserves it. His school is increasing in numbers and quite a number of teachers are in attendance, taking the teachers course.

In this issue appears the advertisement of Mr. Jo Strull who will open up a nice stock of goods in the Tutt block in the near future. Mr. Strull is now doing business in Greensburg and desiring to branch out has decided to put in a good stock in Columbia. He comes to us highly recommended as a true gentleman and a first-class merchant.

The attendance at the College has increased so greatly that an additional instructor has had to be employed and Miss Adelaide La Pierre, of Missouri, has been secured for the position. Miss La Pierre holds a diploma from the Carlisle Training School and is thoroughly equipped by training and experience to do the thorough work for which the College has become noted.

The Columbia Oil Company is forced to abandon its first and only well at a depth of 1309 feet. The drill is fast in the bottom of the hole and for more than a week the driller has worked to free the well from iron under orders to go deeper. It was the intention to go to a depth of 1800 feet unless oil should be secured sooner in paying quantity, but the driller cannot proceed without an extra cost of several hundred dollars to the company and likewise to himself. Work will begin at an early day, on well No 2 about three miles down the stream on a spot of ground said to be very desirable. In this well it will exhaust every dollar it has in testing that locality unless a good strike should be made at a shallow depth. Many misfortunes, as it were, have delayed work with the company but we trust for speedier action and better results in the near future. The grade of oil in the well abandoned was all that could be desired but the quantity was not sufficient.

Circuit Court.

The crowd in town Monday was not as large as the January court usually brings, though a considerable amount of business was transacted. Traders were not very numerous, and but little stock changed hands. Our business houses were not particularly crowded, though the merchants and other classes of trade did fairly well,

Judge W. W. Jones opened court promptly at 9 o'clock and in two hours he concluded his instructions to the grand jury and they proceeded to business. The following gentleman make up the grand jury:

J. W. Jackman, foreman; W. F. Neat, L. C. Cabbell, W. E. Hancock. Junius Montgomery, Howard Murrell, John W. Blair, Jas. Suddarth, Rufus Jones, Jas. Frankum, A. R. Feese, Ed Bennett.

The New Oil Company.

In a former issue we made mention of the formation of the Mutual Oil and Gas Company in this city with a capital stock of $25,000,00 divided into $10.00 shares, a part of which, will be placed on the market in a few days.

This company has leases on 532 acres in the oil bearing district of Wayne county—a section whose productions are now attracting the attention of oil men throughout the entire country and beyond a doubt will prove one of the greatest producers of Amber Oil in all this Southern country. This company, in the main, is made of conservative and aggressive business men—men who do not jump at conclusions or who would indulge in wild cat speculation, hence we expect to see every step taken lead in the direction of development of their valuable territory and to protect, to the extent of their ability, all who invest in its stock. It is the intention of the Directors to put down the first well in the Parnell district whose producers are now known throughout the country.

Its promoters are as follows: W. F. Jeffries, Merchant, J. N. Coffey and E H. Hughes, Merchants, Jas. Garnett, Jr., Attorney-at-law, J. O. Russell, Merchant. M. Cravens, Druggist, J. R Sampson, Lawyer, Middlesboro, Ky., Dr. R. A. Jones, Dentist, Stanford, Ky., G. R. Miller, Louisville, Traveling Salesman. E. W. Hopewell, Liveryman, R. F. Paull, Banker. Judge W. W. Jones, Judge of Circuit Court and Vice-President Monticello Banking Company, Horace Jeffries, Merchant, E. W. Reed, Merchant, N. M. Tutt, Real-Estate Dealer, J. R. Tutt, Merchant, Milltown, Ky., and C. S. Harris.

The above named gentlemen are well and favorably known in this section while several of them enjoy an acquaintance throughout the State. A description of the Company's property will appear in due time to advise those who are seeking a good risk in oil speculation. Subscriptions are coming in and the company expects to place large per cent. of the stock, offered for sale, in a few weeks and every dollar thus obtained to be honestly applied to the development of the property. A large number of the people, of this section, are familiar with the sudden and tremendous advance in the value of stock in other oil companies that have secured producing wells. They understand that a good strike often brings a fortune and that a failure to drill in the proper place simply means a loss to the amount of the money used in drilling. They all know and realize that nothing but the drill will tell the correct tale or reveal the value of any territory. They understand that a move of this sort is purely speculative, but with good territory and good management it is the most inviting, and we believe, the most likely to yield large returns, of any legitimate risk before the people. Of the many companies formed in Southern Kentucky, we feel safe in saying that the Mutual have as desirable undeveloped property as any of them and as conservative set of officers.

If you want to invest a few dollars where the chances are favorable for a rich strike and where the risk is limited to the amount of your investment, only, then write N. M. Tutt, Sec.

Columbia, Ky.

The Mutual Oil and Gas Company has decided to issue the first certificate of stock to Miss Emerine Lapsley, as she is the first lady to seek an investment in the company.

For Sale.

My property located in Liberty Casey county, Ky. It stands near the court-house on the south side, and consists of a nice dwelling, with niue rooms, good barn, also a garden spot For further information call on address V. M. Lester, Liberty, Ky., or Mary E. Pierce, Kendall, Ky. 1m.

Mr. Eugene Bell, who has been the proprietor of the Grand Hotel, 9th and Broadway, Louisville, for the past seven years, has leased the Phoenix building corner 7th and Market, and will open a first-class hotel the 15th of March. The building will be thoroughly overhauled and valuable improvements made. It will be known as "Bell's Hotel, and it is the most convenient stand in the city for country merchants. It is the intention of the proprietor to make this hotel headquarters for political conventions and all other large gatherings. "Ad" in to-day's News,

We desire to thank many of our subscribers for giving The News credit in answering advertisements seen in its columns. We further ask that all who answer advertisements, by writing or in person, whether local or advertisers out of our county to say, I saw it in The News. This will do you no harm, will satisfy the advertiser that our paper is worth his patronage and will result in good to us. Don't forget this.

The News goes to quite a number who have left this part of the State and found more pleasant and profitable surroundings in other sections and other States, and while many have been sending the dollars there are a good number who have not dealt with us so kindly. We trust that others will pay up and help us keep the wolfe from our door. Send money, money-order or stamps.

Mr. Frank Bell has purchased the grocery store and restaurant of his brother, James, at Lebanon, and is now in possession. He is an experienced man and will doubtless keep up the reputation of this splendid stand. Mr. Bell furnishes meals at all hours and invites the people of Adair county to stop with him when in the city. See advertisement.

There will be preaching at the followin places next Sunday: T. F. Walton, Columbia; W. S. Dudgeon, Freedom; Z. T. Williams, Columbia; W. H. C. Sandidge, Hopewell; G. W. Montgomery, Roley; W. P. Gordon, Milltown; T. L. Hulse, Pleasant Ridge; J. P. Vanhoy, Clear Spring; C. M. Deenor, Liberty; C. F. Freeding, Poplar Grove; W. B. Cave, Gradyville.

The mutual Oil and Gas Company will be ready to issue certificates in a few days. Applications for stock in this company are coming in. Remember, first come, first served.

GRADYVILLE.

Prof. Gus Hundley visited at Breeding Saturday night and Sunday.

Miss Clara Wilmore and brother, visited relatives at Bliss Saturday night

J. W. Walker and son, J. W, were at Sulphur Well one day last week..

C. H. Murrell, of Columbia, passed through our place one day last week enroute for Edmonton looking after the interest of The News.

Jo H. Smith one of our up-to-date stock men and farmers, was in Burksville last week looking after his interest in the livery business.

S. A. Harper informs us that his son Mont, who has been in the Philippines for some time would return home the first of February. We welcome him.

The school at this place under the management of Prof. Flowers is progressing nicely with a good attendance, The patrons and pupils are perfectly satisfied with the result of the school.

Mr. Jim Hundley, one of Breeding's best farmers, was on our streets one day last week.

On last Saturday the death of Mr. C. C. Yates was heralded over this community. A good man gone, a man that every body loved from the youngest to the oldest, one that did not have an enemy in the world, one that lived a consistent christian life for over fifty years. He was a member of the Baptist church for fifty years. Uncle Creel has been confined to his room for several weeks with pneumonia fever, but was thought to be improving until last Friday he was taken severely sick and suffered intensely until the end came. He was seventy-five years old. He leaves seven children, several brothers and sisters with a host of relatives and friends to sympathize with them in this their sad bereavement. His funeral was conducted by Revs. Cave-Sandidge and Hulse before a large audience and his remains interred in the old family burying ground.

Rev. Shelley preached an interesting sermon at the Methodist church last Sunday night.

Gowen & Corbin purchased of Dr. L. C. Nell a large amount of staves which they will prepare for the market

Mr. Thos. Garmon and family have rented a farm of E. H. Hughes, which is near Milltown and they have removed to it. We regret to give Mr. Garmon up on account of his proficiency in the telephone business.

Mesdames G. T. Flowers and C. O. Moss visited Mrs. Sam Mitchell, near Bliss one day last week.

Mr. Flavius Conover, of Columbia accompanied by Mr. Alvarine Taylor, of Indianapolis, were visiting their uncle, Dr. S A. Taylor last week.

L C Hindman, deputy sheriff, was calling on our people last week. He certainly knows how to get around after the boys.

Mr. Robt. Mitchell, of Metcalfe county was here last week buying cattle.

Miss Rena Nell, sister of Dr. L. C. Nell, who went to the Lone Star State twelve months ago was married a few days ago to Mr. Jas. Gist, a properous farmer of that State. Miss Nell is a very young lady. Miss Rena we extend congratulations.

On Sunday the 12th Miss Eliza Richard, daughter of Wm. Richard, was happily married to Mr. Ray Crawhorn, Rev. Wilson pronounced the ceremony. The same day Miss Furris, daughter W. H. Burris, was married to Mr. Thos. Beard, a well to do farmer of Sulphur fork. Rev. Hulse officiated.

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CATTLE.	
Extra shipping	$5 35@5 75
Light shipping	4 40@4 85
Best butchers	3 75@4 50
Fair to good butchers	3 00@3 75
Common to medium b'tch'r	2 25@3 00
HOGS.	
Choice packing and butchers, 200 to 300 lbs	6 40
Fair to good packing, 160 to 200lbs	5 95
Good to extra light, 120 to 160 lbs	5 70
SHEEP AND LAMBS.	
Good to extra shipping Sheep	2 25@2 40
Fair to good	2 50@3 75
common to medium	1 00@2 00

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COLUMBIA, KY.
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LOANS FOR FARMERS.

New York, Jan., 9.—The Times says: Prominent financial interests are organizing in this city a new trust company which will operate along entirely novel lines and in a field at present worked by no other similar institution. The company will be known as the Trust Company of the Republic. Its purpose will be to loan money to farmers throughout the country on warehouse receipts as security, and, when its own resources will not permit of such loans, to become a headquarters for the negociation of paper of that character.

It was stated yesterday by one of the financiers interested in the scheme that farmers and producers of raw material in many parts of the country today were compelled to pay as much as 20 to 25 per cent. interest on the money borrowed. This forced them, especially in the matter of cotton, to rush their products to the market and to sell it at a disadvantage in order to be able to liquidate their loans.

Looking forward to the ultimate formation of the Trust Company of the Republic, about two months ago the Security Warehousing Company of New York was organized, and has already leased several warehouses in the cotton producing districts. This company, which has total assets already of more than $1,500,000, proposes to build warehouses all over the United States, and to receive raw materials and issue receipts for them.

The warehouse company is backed by the same interests, in part, which will be represented in the trust company. Alexander Greig is President of the warehouse company, Thomas F. Goodrich is Vice President, and among the directors and stockholders are Anthony N. Brady, D. Leroy Dresser, M. Taylor Pyne, J. Edward Simmons, Frederick B. Schenck, Leslie D. Ward, Glen Wright, Emerson McMillan and S. R. Bertron.

It is planned that the receipts issued by the warehouse company shall be registered and guaranteed. The farmer holding them will then be in a position to obtain a loan from the new trust company at the prevailing rate of interest in New York, instead of at the ruinous rate he is now compelled to pay.

The capital stock of the new trust company is to be $1,000,000, with $500,000 as a surplus.

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Mrs. Wm. Nunn, of Knob Lick, Metcalfe county, was so badly burned last Friday that she died Saturday, after a terrible suffering of twenty-four hours. Mr. Nunn and his family lived at the B. F. Myers place, near Knob Lick last year, and at the time of his wife's death they were moving to a oth r place nearby. A feather bed had been laid on the floor in front of the fire and a spark popped out and set fire to it. In trying to extinguish the fire on the bed Mrs. Nunn's dress caught fire. She became frightened and ran screaming from the house, the winds fanning the flames on her clothing all the while, and before she could be overtaken and the flames extinguished she was so badly burned that she died the next day. In the attempt to catch the burning woman and extinguish the flames, all thought of saving the house was abandoned, and that, together with its contents, was destroyed.

Mrs. Nunn was a sister-in-law of Circuit Clerk Henry Nunn, of Edmonton, and was one of the best-known women in Metcalfe county —Glasgow Times.

Finds Way to Live Long.

The startling announcement of a discovery that will surely lengthen life is made by editor O. H. Downey, of Churubusco, Ind: "I wish to state," he writes, "that Dr King's New Discovery for Consumption is the most infallible remedy that I have ever known for coughs, colds and grip. It's invaluable to people with weak lungs. Having this wonderful medicine no one need dread pneumonia or consumption. Its relief is instant and cure certain." T. E. Paull, of Columbia, and W. H. Wilkinson, of Liberty, guarantee 50c. and $1.00 bottle, sample free.

GENERAL NEWS.

Gen. Gordon has issued the official order for the Confederate reunion at Dallas, Tex, April 22 to 25.

Gov. Leslie M. Shaw will take charge January 25 as Secretary of the Treasury. H. A. Taylor will be retained as Assistant Secretary.

The Republican Committee of the Eleventh district has ordered that a primary election be held on the first Monday in August to nominate a candidate for Congress.

A. J. Hawes was fined $2 000 by County Judge Spalding at Morganfield for aiding William Freeney, a negro union miner, to evade arrest. He has appealed the case.

President Roosevelt has decided to appoint John E. McCall Collector of Internal Revenue of the Nashville district and to reappoint Pension Agent Wilder at Knoxville.

Through the influence of Representative Gilbert the closing of traffic on the Kentucky river for the repairs of locks and dams has been postponed till late in the summer season.

Copies of a remarkable proclamation that is being circulated in the Philippines have been received in Washington. It is signed by nine Americans, seven of them claiming to be in the United States military service, and it invites American soldiers to desert and join the Filipinos.

The Panama Canal Company has formerly offered to sell its property, rights and concessions on the isthmus to the United States government for $40,000,000. The President has been notified, and will, it is stated, bring the matter before Congress The valuation is that fixed by the Isthmain Canal Commission.

Earnings of the United States Steel Corporation for the last three months of 1901 are said to be in excess of $25,000,000, and pessible $26,000,000. The corporation has arranged to produce its own supply of coal in the Pittsburg district and will at once develop 50,000 acres, worth about $10,000,000. An output of 8,500,000 annually is desired.

The case of the Commonwealth against William Aikin, charged with the murder of his aged aunt, Mrs. Sallie Peper, and her ten-year-old grandson, and which has been absorbing the attention of the Hart Circuit Court for a week, was brought to a close Saturday at noon, when the jury brought in a verdict of guilty, fixing the punishment at confinement in the penitentiary for life. Aikin was convicted entirely on circumstantial evidence, though it was very strong.

Aikin is said to be a fine-looking, intelligent young man, about twenty-three years of age. The case, as the State sought to show, was that in the night he went to the house of his aunt, Mrs. Peper, an old woman living alone with no protection except her little grandson, and attempted to rob her of $400 or $500, which she was known to keep in the house. While he was searching for the money, Mrs. Peper was awakened, and it is supposed recognized him. He attacked her with an ax and killed her and the boy with the same weapon. Mrs. Peper got out in the yard, where she fell and died, and lay there exposed to a rainstorm for three days before she was discovered by the neighbors. Aikin was arrested on suspicion, but was dismissed on his examining trial. Further evidence developed and he was arrested and his conviction followed. Aikin was a grandson of the late Moses Aikin, one of the most famous Baptist preachers of Southern Kentucky.—Glasgow Times.

New Century Comfort.

Millions are daily finding a world of comfort in Bucklen's Arnica Salve. It kills pain from burns, scalds, cuts, bruises; conquors ulcers. and fever sores; cures eruptions, salt rheum, boils and felons; removes corns and warts. Best pile cure on earth. Only 25c at Paull's, of Columbia, and W. H. Wilkinson, of Liberty.

A gang of burglars attempted to enter the residence of Dr. Gibson, near Athens, Fayette county, Monday night while Mrs. Gibson was alone. There were four men and she fired into the crowd and wounded one, whom his companions carried off.

Prote[ct] the Birds.

With the closing of the shooting season last Tuesday, the bird dog and gun are out of business for another eleven months, and what is left of the tribe of Bob White will once more multiply, increase and replenish the fields and woods. Public opinion is much more favorable to the bird law than formerly, and approval and observance strengthen with each year.

With all this, there is enormous wanton slaughter of birds, and their ultimate extinction is merely a question of time. One Glasgow firm shipped over two thousand quail in one day during December. The sum total of birds falling to the gun, net and trap in Barren county would be incredibly large, could it be determined at all. The only surprise is that there is one left alive. Every year the number of hunters, the destructiveness of guns increase, while a steadily decreasing ratio marks Bob White's chances for life. As the country gradually clears up and settles more closely, his breeding coverts and haunts grow fewer. In many counties in the upper part of the State the quail is practically extinct.

One of the deadliest enemies of the bird is the foreign hunter. He comes equipped for the slaughter, and slays so long as a living target for his repeating gun can be found. Then he ships his game, and moves on to fresher fields to wholesale slaughter. The Times has in mind one instance in which a dozen quail fell before a Winchester in less than two minutes, while the same hunter shipped over 300 birds out of the State as the result of four days hunting. This is not sport. It is wanton destruction of life. In Indiana, every non-resident sportsman must take out a license before he goes gunning. A law of this sort would not be bad for Kentucky. If some sort of additional protection is not given Kentucky birds, there will soon be none to protect.—Glasgow Times.

The Winchester Sun warns the farmers of Clark county against a species of swindle that has been reported from several Kentucky counties recently:

"If a smooth, business-like stranger comes along and wants to buy your farm you just tell him at once to go 'way back and sit down.'

"One of this kind bought a farm over in Boyle county the other day, and the parties went to town to close the deal. The first payment was to be $2,500. The stranger drew his check on a Memphis bank for $2,550 and wanted the difference in cash, as he was 'a little short on expense funds.' But this 'old hayseed,' being somewhat of a business man himself, took the precaution to have his banker make inquiries of the Memphis bank before handing over the $50. The answer came promptly and stamped the check as utterly worthless. The farmer then went out to look for the stranger, who, by the way, had enjoyed the hospitality of his home for quite a week, but he was nowhere to be found, and has not since made his appearance in those parts."

Huntington, W. Va, Jan. 14.—The Rev. Isaac Workman, who was arrested here six months ago for marrying a Central City girl, when he had another wife living near Lexington, Ky., today pleaded guilty to bigamy and was sentenced to one year in the State prison. Workman was an object of sympathy as tears dimmed his eyes while he was pleading with the Judge for mercy. Both his wives were present in court and his first wife, with two children, wept bitterly as the aged parson was led from the room by the Sheriff. An effort will be made tomorrow to have Judge Matthews set aside the verdict and free the minister, who has always been highly respected until his flirtation with the West Virginia girl.

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Mr. John Mahan was driving near Lebanon with Miss Bettie Caldwell, of Danville, when the horse ran away, throwing them out, the lady getting her shoulder blade broken.

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William Jennings Bryan, it is announced, will lecture in Nashville during the month of February, though just what the subject will be has not been announced.

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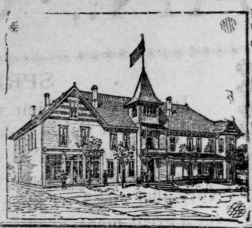

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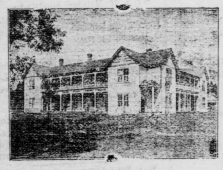

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